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FIRST INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, the accompanying information is being submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98. Applicants request consideration of the documents listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449. These documents are cited in the English-language International Search Report (ISR), a copy of which is enclosed, or are English-language counterparts of documents cited in the ISR.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.98, a copy of each of the documents cited is enclosed. However, copies of the listed U.S. patents are not enclosed since it is no longer required according to the July 11, 2003 waiver of the requirement for copies of cited U.S. patent and U.S. patent application publications in national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003 and international applications entering the national stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 after June 30, 2003.

The cited documents are in English except those specifically discussed below:

WO 03/092890 is in French. An English-language abstract/patent family search is enclosed. In addition, an English translation is provided. As noted in the ISR, this document was published after applicants' priority date.

WO 99/32552 is in German. A copy of its U.S. counterpart, Haselhorst et al. U.S.P. 6,346,562 B1, is cited to serve as an English translation.

WO 00/60011 is in French. An English-language abstract/patent family search is enclosed. The undersigned is investigating the possibility of the existence of an English-language translation. If such a translation exists, it will be filed in due course.

EP 0761759 is in German. An English-language abstract/patent family search is enclosed. In addition, its Australian counterpart, Australian Patent No. 716990, is provided herewith to serve as an English translation.

The English-language ISR serves as a brief statement of relevance for all of the documents cited therein.

This statement, Form PTO-1449 and documents are being submitted within three (3) months of the filing or entry of the national stage of this application or before the first Office Action on the merits, whichever is later. Since these documents are being filed within the time period set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b), no fee or statement is required.

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner consider this statement and cited documents and that an Examiner-initialed copy of the accompanying Form PTO-1449 be returned to the undersigned.

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Examiner Initials	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.

¹See English-language counterpart, Haselhorst et al. U.S.P. 6,346,562 B1.²See English-language counterpart, AU716990.

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